

**A RESOLUTION**

**BY: COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ATLANTA TO ACCEPT THE DONATION OF MEETING SPACE, BANQUET SERVICES, AUDIO-VISUAL SERVICES, PARKING ACCOMMODATIONS, AND ANY RELATED INCIDENTAL SERVICES FOR THE DATES OF FEBRUARY 18 AND 19, 2010 WORTH A VALUE OF APPROXIMATELY \$9,000.00 FROM THE GEORGIA AQUARIUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, on February 18, 2010, the City of Atlanta will hold a mandatory training session for its mayor, city council president, and council members elected in November, 2009 ; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 19, 2010, the Atlanta City Council will hold a council retreat; and

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Aquarium has so graciously offered to host these two events at no cost to the City of Atlanta; and

**WHEREAS**, the services which the Georgia Aquarium will provide consists of meeting space, banquet services, audio visual services, parking accommodations and any related incidental services worth a value of approximately \$9,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Atlanta wishes to accept this donation from the Georgia Aquarium.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA** that the City of Atlanta hereby accepts the donation from the Georgia Aquarium, of meeting space, audio visual services, banquet services, parking accommodations and any related incidental services for two events (Mandatory Elected Officials Training and a City Council Retreat) to be held on the dates of February 18 and 19, 2010, respectively, worth a value of approximately \$9,000.00.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Offices of the Mayor and Council of the City of Atlanta hereby express their sincerest gratitude and appreciation to the Georgia Aquarium for its dedicated civic-mindedness in assisting the City of Atlanta by providing this generous donation.